# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS BEAUMONT DIVISION

DANIELLE SIMPSON,	§	
	§	
Petitioner,	§	
	§	
v.	§	
	§	Civil Action No. 1:04-CV-485
NATHANIEL QUARTERMAN, Director,	§	
Texas Department of Criminal	§	
Justice, Institutional Division,	§	
	§	
Respondent.	§	

### PETITIONER'S FIRST WITNESS LIST

### TO THE HONORABLE U.S. DISTRICT COURT:

COMES NOW PETITIONER, DANIELLE SIMPSON, by and through his attorney of record, and designates the following witnesses:

## **Witnesses by Danielle Simpson**

Joan Mayfield, Ph.D.	Professor of pediatric		
	neuropsychology at the		
	children's section of the		
	Baylor College of Medicine		
	in Dallas		

Ms. Toni Knox Adaptive behavior

investigator

Brenda Simpson We will also submit her

2000 trial transcript as an

exhibit.

James Bolton Father of Simpson We will also submit his

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exhibit.

LaTonya Simpson Sister of Danielle Simpson

Tangela Bolton Sister of Danielle Simpson We will also submit her

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Kenya Simpson Sister of Simpson We will also submit her

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Dwayne Simpson Cousin of Simpson

Gerald McKinley Acquaintance of Simpson

Rosa Huffman Teacher at Westwood

Junior High

Dr. Paul Andrews Tyler psychologist He will not testify live. His

testimony from Simpson's 2000 trial will be introduced. Alternatively, he will be called as a witness if the Court denies Simpson's application for authorization of experts, but authorizes funding for this

expert.

Dr. Merril Wise

Pediatric neurologist, and formerly instructor at the Baylor College of Medicine. He now works in Atlanta.

He will not testify live. His testimony from Simpson's 2000 trial will be introduced. Alternatively, he will be called as a witness if the Court denies Simpson's application for authorization of experts, but authorizes funding for this expert.

Dr. Barry Mills

Chief psychiatrist for the Maximum Security Program Behavior Management Program at Vernon State Hospital He will not testify live. His testimony from Simpson's 2000 trial will be introduced. Alternatively, he will be called as a witness if the Court denies Simpson's application for authorization of experts, but authorizes funding for this expert.

Dr. Wendell Dickerson

Psychologist, Bryan, Texas

He has retired. He will not testify live. His affidavit and examination report will be introduced.

Neuro Radiologist

Unknown at present.

It will be necessary to obtain appointment of a neuro radiologist to examine Simpson's MRIs for purpose providing a report to Dr. Mayfield explaining the nature and extent of Simpson's brain damage. This expert will not need to testify live.

Respectfully submitted this 8 day of November 2008,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of this pleading has been delivered this 8 day of November 2008 to:

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